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Methods for the production of purified

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THE GENUINE ARTICLE: 632MT
                     Novel transglutaminase inhibitors reverse the inflammation
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                     JOURNAL OF CLINICAL INVESTIGATION, (JAN 2003) Vol. 111,
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        Steroidal anti-inflammatory drugs induce proteins that inhibit
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AB phospholipase A(2) (PLA(2)), including uteroglobin and lipocortin-1 (annexin I). Uteroglobin and lipocortin-1 retain several conserved sequences. Based on these sequences, several nonapeptides (antiflammins) were synthesized. These nonapeptides were shown to have anti-inflammatory effects in vitro and in vivo, possibly by inhibiting PLA(2). Subsequent research showed that PLA(2) is activated by transglutaminase 2 (TGase 2). We hypothesize here that TGase 2 inhibitors may increase the anti-inflammatory efficacy of inhibiting PLA(2) activity. To test this theory, we constructed recombinant peptides containing sequences from pro-elafin (for inhibition of TGase 2), and from lipocortin-1, lipocortin-5, and uteroglobin (for inhibition of PLA(2)). The recombinant peptides, which had dual inhibitory effects on purified TGase 2 and PLA(2), reversed the inflammation of allergic conjunctivitis to ragweed in a guinea pig model. The present work suggests that novel recombinant peptides may be

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Immunolocalization of CC10 in Clara cells in mouse and TITLE:

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CORPORATE SOURCE: St Louis Univ, Hlth Sci Ctr, Dept Pathol, 1402 S Grand

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HISTOCHEMISTRY AND CELL BIOLOGY, (APR 2001) Vol. 115, No.

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Two antisera, denoted R41 and R42, were raised against a synthetic AΒ peptide from the murine Clara cell-specific protein CC10, and one antiserum, denoted R40, was raised against human recombinant uteroglobin, the human homolog of murine CC10. Purified antigen-specific antisera, denoted R40AP, P41AP and R42AP were prepared using peptide columns. The purified antisera were characterized by dot blots, immunohistochemistry, and immunoblots. Immunohistochemistry of mouse lung showed specific labeling of Clara cells in distal bronchioles by all three antisera. In human lung, the anti-uteroglobin antiserum specifically labeled Clara cells while the anti-mouse peptide antisera had weak crossreactivity and higher background staining. Electron microscopy revealed immunogold labeling of CC10 granules in Clara cells of mouse lung with all antisera. All antisera also labeled a 5-kDa protein on immunoblots of mouse lung homogenates. The surface epithelium of the alveolar air spaces around the distal bronchioles were CC10 positive suggesting a functional activity for CC10 in the lung parenchyma distal to Clara cells. R40AP immunohistochemical staining of sections of normal human lungs and lungs from patients with surfactant protein B deficiency, bronchopneumonia, and idiopathic alveolar proteinosis illustrate the utility of the anti-human CC10 antibody for diagnostic pathology.

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     treating cancer and uteroglobin receptor-related conditions by targeting a
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     Also disclosed and claimed are methods of purifying a
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THE GENUINE ARTICLE: 182PT
TITLE:
                     Loss of transformed phenotype in cancer cells by
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                     Zhang Z J; Kundu G C; Panda D; Mandal A K; MantileSelvaggi
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        Uteroglobin (UG) is a multifunctional, secreted protein that
     has receptor-mediated functions. The human UG (hUG) gene is mapped to
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cancers. Although high levels of hUG expression are characteristic of the mucosal epithelia of many organs, hUG expression is either drastically reduced or totally absent in adenocarcinomas and in viral-transformed epithelial cells derived from the same organs. In agreement with these findings, in an ongoing study to evaluate the effects of aging on UG-knockout mice, 16/16 animals developed malignant tumors, whereas the wild-type littermates (n = 25) remained apparently healthy even after 1 1/2 years. In the present investigation, we sought to determine the effects of induced-expression of hUG in human cancer cells by transfecting several cell lines derived from adenocarcinomas of various organs with an hUG-cDNA construct. We demonstrate that induced hUG expression reverses at least two of the most important characteristics of the transformed phenotype (i.e., anchorage-independent growth on soft agar and extracellular matrix invasion) of only those cancer cells that also express the hUG receptor. Similarly, treatment of the nontransfected, receptor-positive adenocarcinoma cells with purified recombinant hUG yielded identical results. Taken together, these data define receptor-mediated, autocrine and paracrine pathways through which hUG reverses the transformed phenotype of cancer cells and consequently, may have tumor suppressor-like effects.

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TITLE: Uteroglobin (UG) suppresses extracellular matrix invasion

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UG-binding proteins

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Uteroglobin (UG) is a steroid-inducible, multifunctional, AΒ secreted protein with antiinflammatory and antichemotactic properties. Recently, we have reported a high affinity UG-binding protein (putative receptor), on several cell types, with an apparent molecular mass of 190 kDa (Kundu, G. C., Mantile, G., Miele, L., Cordella-Miele, E., and Mukherjee, A. B. (1996) Proc. Natl. Acad. Sci. U. S. A. 93, 2915-2919). Since UG is a homodimer in which the 70 amino acid subunits are connected by two disulfide bonds, we sought to determine whether UG monomers also interact with the 190-kDa UG-binding protein and if so, whether it has the same biological activity as the dimer. Surprisingly, we discovered that in addition to the 190-kDa species, another protein, with an apparent molecular mass of 49 kDa, binds reduced UG with high affinity and specificity. Both 49- and 190-kDa proteins are readily detectable on nontransformed NIH 3T3 and some murine cancer cells (e.g. mastocytoma, sarcoma, and lymphoma), while lacking on others (e.g. fibrosarcoma). Most

interestingly, pretreatment of the cells, which express the binding proteins, with reduced UG dramatically suppresses extracellular matrix (ECM) invasion, when such treatment had no effect on fibrosarcoma cells that lack the UG-binding proteins. Tissue-specific expression studies confirmed that while both 190- and 49-kDa UG-binding proteins are present in bovine heart, spleen, and the liver, only the 190-kDa protein is detectable in the trachea and in the lung. Neither the 190-kDa nor the 49-kDa protein was detectable in the aorta. Purification of these binding proteins from bovine spleen by UG-affinity chromatography and analysis by SDS-polyacrylamide gel electrophoresis followed by silver staining identified two protein bands with apparent molecular masses of 40 and 180 kDa, respectively. Treatment of the NIH 3T3 cells with specific cytokines (i.e. interleukin-6) and other agonists (i.e. lipopolysaccharide) caused a substantially increased level of I-125-UG binding but the same cells, when treated with platelet-derived growth factor, tumor necrosis factor-alpha, interferon-gamma, and phorbol 12-myristate 13-acetate, did not alter the UG binding. Taken together, these findings raise the possibility that UG, through its binding proteins, plays critical roles in the regulation of cellular motility and ECM invasion.

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POLYCHLORINATED BIPHENYL-BINDING PROTEIN - DETERMINATION

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High level expression of a human polychlorinated biphenyl-binding AB protein (hPCB-BP; also termed uteroglobin or CC10) was achieved in Escherichia coli. The recombinant protein (rhPCB-BP) constituted similar to 1% of total bacterial lysate proteins as judged from in vitro ligand binding assays using 4,4'-bis([H-3]methylsulfonyl)-2,2',5,5'-tetrachlorobiphenyl. rhPCB-BP was purified to homogeneity in its native dimeric form. Saturation analysis experiments indicated a K-d of similar to 69 nM for the binding of 4,4'-bis([H-3]methylsulfonyl)-2,2',5,5'-tetrachlorobiphenyl to rhPCB-BP. The average number of binding sites (B-max) calculated from such experiments on purified rhPCB-BP was 49 nmol/mg of protein and is close to the theoretical value of 1 mol of ligand associating with 1 mol of dimeric protein. Purified rhPCB-BP was also found to cause a dose-dependent inhibition of the enzyme orcine pancreatic phospholipase A(2) (PLA(2)) in vitro. Increasing the concentrations of

calcium abolished the inhibition of PLA(2) by rhPCB-BP, suggesting that the protein functions in vitro by sequestering Ca2+ an essential PLA(2) cofactor. This notion was further supported by direct evidence that Ca-45(2+) binds to rhPCB-BP. 1 mol of dimeric protein was also found to bind 2 mol of ruthenium red, an organic dye that detects Ca2+-binding proteins, with a K-d of 3 mu M. This binding was inhibited by Ca2+, with an IC50 of 7 mM. Finally, it was demonstrated that the addition of a high affinity ligand for the protein had no effect on its ability to inhibit PLA(2) under conditions of limiting concentrations of calcium, and the addition of Ca2+ did not affect the binding characteristics of the PCB ligand, suggesting that these two properties of the protein are independent. Our results strongly support the notion that ligand binding is a conserved feature of the homologous uteroglobin/PCB-BP/CC10 proteins in different species, whereas our results question the suggested role of these proteins as specific inhibitors of PLA(2).

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rabbit uteroglobin.

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Child Health and Human Development, National Institutes of

Health, Bethesda, Maryland 20892.

SOURCE: JOURNAL OF BIOLOGICAL CHEMISTRY, (1993 Sep 25) 268 (27)

20343-51.

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AB Human Clara cell 10-kDa protein has been suggested to be a counterpart of rabbit uteroglobin, an immunomodulatory and antiinflammatory secretory protein. Since this human protein is not readily available in substantial quantity for detailed characterization of its biochemical, biological, and pharmacological properties, we sought to express it in Escherichia coli in order to study its structure-function relationship. However, bacterial overproduction of homodimeric proteins with interchain disulfide bonds, such as Clara cell 10-kDa protein, was thought to be impossible until we achieved expression of native uteroglobin (Miele, L., Cordella-Miele, E., and Mukherjee, A.B. (1990) J. Biol. Chem. 265, 6427-6435). Here, we report high level production of recombinant native dimeric human Clara cell 10-kDa protein in E. coli and its characterization. Recombinant human Clara cell 10-kDa protein forms its disulfide bonds within the bacterial cytoplasm. The purified protein possesses two of the most important activities characteristic of uteroglobin: (i) it is an excellent substrate of transglutaminase, and (ii) it is a potent inhibitor of porcine pancreatic and, more importantly, human synovial phospholipase A2. These results demonstrate that human Clara cell 10-kDa protein and rabbit uteroglobin have very similar biochemical properties. Our data suggest that this protein may possess immunomodulatory and antiinflammatory activities of potential physiological and pharmacological importance.

L7 ANSWER 10 OF 12 MEDLINE on STN DUPLICATE 2

ACCESSION NUMBER: 90202925 MEDLINE

DOCUMENT NUMBER: 90202925 PubMed ID: 2318861

TITLE: High level bacterial expression of uteroglobin, a dimeric

eukaryotic protein with two interchain disulfide bridges,

in its natural quaternary structure.

AUTHOR: Miele L; Cordella-Miele E; Mukherjee A B

CORPORATE SOURCE: Section on Developmental Genetics, National Institute of

Child Health and Human Development, National Institutes of

Health, Bethesda, Maryland 20892.

SOURCE: JOURNAL OF BIOLOGICAL CHEMISTRY, (1990 Apr 15) 265 (11)

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Bacterial expression of eukaryotic proteins is a tool of ever-increasing AB importance in biochemistry and molecular biology. However, the majority of the recombinant eukaryotic proteins that have been expressed in bacteria are produced as fusion proteins and not in their native conformation. In particular, correct formation of quaternary structures by recombinant proteins in bacterial hosts has been reported very rarely. To our knowledge, correct intracellular formation of multimeric structures containing more than one interchain disulfide bridge has not been reported so far. We have constructed three plasmids which are able to direct expression of recombinant rabbit uteroglobin, a homodimeric protein with two interchain disulfide bridges, in Escherichia coli. Among these, the plasmid pLE103-1, in which the expression of recombinant uteroglobin is controlled by a bacteriophage T7 late promoter, is by far the most efficient. With pLE103-1, recombinant uteroglobin production reached about 10% of total bacterial soluble proteins. This protein accumulated in bacterial cells in dimeric form, as it is naturally found in the rabbit uterus. Recombinant uteroglobin was purified to near-homogeneity and its NH2-terminal amino acid sequence was confirmed to be identical to that of its natural counterpart, except for 2 Ala residues the codons for which were added during the plasmid construction. This protein was found to be as active a phospholipase A2 inhibitor as natural uteroglobin on a molar basis. To our knowledge, this is the first report of high level bacterial expression of a full length eukaryotic homodimeric protein with two interchain disulfide bridges in its natural, biologically active form. The plasmid pLE103-1 may be useful to explore structure-function relationships of rabbit uteroglobin. In addition, this plasmid may be useful in obtaining high level bacterial expression of other eukaryotic proteins with quaternary structure, as well as for other general applications requiring efficient bacterial expression of cDNAs.

L7 ANSWER 11 OF 12 MEDLINE ON STN ACCESSION NUMBER: 83008815 MEDLINE

DOCUMENT NUMBER: 83008815 PubMed ID: 7119650

TITLE: Hybridization analysis of steady-state levels of

uteroglobin mRNA in rabbit uterus and lung during early

pregnancy.

AUTHOR: Kumar N M; Bullock D W

CONTRACT NUMBER: HD09378 (NICHD)

SOURCE: JOURNAL OF ENDOCRINOLOGY, (1982 Sep) 94 (3) 407-14.

Journal code: 0375363. ISSN: 0022-0795.

PUB. COUNTRY: ENGLAND: United Kingdom

DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal; Article; (JOURNAL ARTICLE)

LANGUAGE: English

FILE SEGMENT: Priority Journals

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AΒ Uteroglobin is a predominant protein in the rabbit uterus, where it is induced by progesterone, and occurs also in the lung, where its level is constitutive. A recombinant plasmid containing uteroglobin complementary DNA (cDNA) has been constructed previously from partially purified uteroglobin mRNA. In this study, the cloned uteroglobin cDNA has been used as a probe to determine the cellular content of uteroglobin mRNA at different times in early pregnancy in both rabbit uterus and lung. By RNA-excess hybridization to poly A-enriched RNA and to total nucleic acid extracts an increase in steady-state uteroglobin mRNA level was detected, from approximately 250 molecules/uterine epithelial cell in non-pregnant rabbits to approximately 6800 molecules/cell on day 4 of pregnancy, after which the levels declined progressively up to day 8. The pulmonary level of uteroglobin mRNA was about 400 molecules/cell and did not change significantly with day of pregnancy. The major factor in regulating the production of uteroglobin in the uterus of pregnant rabbits is the accumulation and subsequent depletion of its mRNA.

L7 ANSWER 12 OF 12 CAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2003 ACS on STN DUPLICATE 3

ACCESSION NUMBER: 1980:527325 CAPLUS

DOCUMENT NUMBER: 93:127325

TITLE: Cloning of the rabbit uteroglobin structural gene

AUTHOR(S): Chandra, T.; Woo, S. L. C.; Bullock, D. W.

CORPORATE SOURCE: Howard Hughes Med. Inst., Baylor Coll. Med., Houston,

TX, 77030, USA

SOURCE: Biochemical and Biophysical Research Communications

(1980), 95(1), 197-204

CODEN: BBRCA9; ISSN: 0006-291X

DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal LANGUAGE: English

AB The mRNA coding for uteroglobin, a progesterone-induced uterine protein, was partially purified from 4-day pregnant rabbit uterus. Double-stranded DNA synthesized from the partially purified mRNA prepn. was inserted into the PstI site of pBR322. Bacterial transformants contg. uteroglobin DNA sequences were identified by their ability to enrich for uteroglobin mRNA on hybridization with total uterine poly(A)-RNA. The identity of 1 recombinant was confirmed unambiguously by matching its nucleotide sequence with the amino acid sequence of the uteroglobin polypeptide.

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                    A protocol for 'enhanced pepsin digestion': a step by step
TITLE:
                    method for obtaining pure antibody fragments in high yield
                    from serum.
AUTHOR:
                    Jones R G A; Landon J
CORPORATE SOURCE:
                    Division of Bacteriology, National Institute for Biological
                    Standards and Control (NIBSC), Blanche Lane, South Mimms,
                    Potters Bar, Hertfordshire EN6 3QG, UK.. rjones@nibsc.ac.uk
SOURCE:
                    JOURNAL OF IMMUNOLOGICAL METHODS, (2003 Apr 1) 275 (1-2)
                    239-50.
                    Journal code: 1305440. ISSN: 0022-1759.
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AB
     The digestion of ovine antiserum under acidic conditions (pH 3.5) by
     pepsin is highly effective at reducing all unwanted serum components to
     low molecular weight (< or =13 kDa) fragments while leaving the
     approximately 100-kDa F(ab')(2) intact. The pH is then raised to 6 to
     stop further digestion and the reaction mixture centrifuged or filtered to
     remove any insoluble contaminants. Next, unwanted low molecular weight
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SOURCE:

fragments are removed by diafiltration with a 30-kDa nominal molecular weight cut-off

membrane leaving an F(ab')(2) solution contaminated only with some pepsin and a small amount of the aggregated low molecular weight fragments. Material of this purity is suitable for many applications but, since all the contaminants are highly acidic, they can be easily removed by passage down an anion-exchange column to yield F(ab')(2) that is essentially free from pepsin and aggregates with a typical purity of over 96% and yields of 16-19 g/l serum. When an antivenom was processed, approximately 78% of the original serum's toxin neutralising capacity was recovered. This simple, high yield protocol for processing serum to highly purified F(ab')(2) avoids the need for an initial or any subsequent salt precipitation step and can be utilised for either bench or large scale production. If required, a mild reducing agent may be used finally to create Fab fragments.

L11 ANSWER 2 OF 7 MEDLINE on STN ACCESSION NUMBER: 2002302895 MEDLINE

DOCUMENT NUMBER: 22038934 PubMed ID: 12044067

TITLE: Organic colloid separation in contrasting aquatic

environments with tangential flow filtration.

AUTHOR: Gueguen C; Belin C; Dominik J

CORPORATE SOURCE: Institut F.-A. Forel, Universite de Geneve, Versoix,

> Switzerland.. celine.guequen@terre.unige.ch WATER RESEARCH, (2002 Apr) 36 (7) 1677-84.

Journal code: 0105072. ISSN: 0043-1354.

PUB. COUNTRY: England: United Kingdom

DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal; Article; (JOURNAL ARTICLE)

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AB The use of tangential flow filtration (TFF) for size fractionation of natural dissolved organic matter was investigated. The performance of regenerated cellulose membrane with a nominal

molecular weight cut-off of 1 kDa

was examined on 20 samples from lake, river and estuary systems, characterised by contrasting dissolved organic carbon (DOC) contents and conductivity. The evaluation was based on absorbance, fluorescence and DOC measurements. Detailed protocols of membrane cleaning and conditioning nation are proposed. The ultrafiltration membrane can efficiently be cleaned to provide low carbon blank (<0.01 mg/L). Fluorescence measurements confirmed that the higher molecular weight compounds were isolated in the retentate and the lower molecular weight remain in the permeate. Mass balance for natural samples show good recovery for DOC (109 +/- 12%, n = 20) and fluorescence measurements (106 +/- 9%, n = 13). No relation between factors of concentration (fc) and mass balance quality was observed for the fc range 1.5-11. Moreover, high ionic strength and high DOC contents did not enhance membrane fouling. These findings demonstrate that reliable fractionations by TFF of natural organic colloids in aquatic systems can be achieved.

L11 ANSWER 3 OF 7 MEDLINE on STN ACCESSION NUMBER: 2001305155 MEDLINE

DOCUMENT NUMBER: 20552377 PubMed ID: 11091173

TITLE: Membranes for endotoxin removal from dialysate: considerations on feasibility of commercial ceramic

AUTHOR: Bender H; Pflazel A; Saunders N; Czermak P; Catapano G;

Vienken J

CORPORATE SOURCE: Biotechnologie Gesellschaft Mittelhessen mbH, Giessen,

Germany.

SOURCE: ARTIFICIAL ORGANS, (2000 Oct) 24 (10) 826-9.

Journal code: 7802778. ISSN: 0160-564X.

PUB. COUNTRY: United States

DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal; Article; (JOURNAL ARTICLE)

LANGUAGE: English

FILE SEGMENT: Priority Journals

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As the quality of water in dialysis fluid varies considerably, dialysate AB is often contaminated by large amounts of bacteria and endotoxins. Membrane properties and operating pressures are acknowledged to give high-flux dialysis with bicarbonate the bacteriological potential to favor passage of endotoxin fragments from the dialysate into the blood stream. Therefore, a sterile dialysate will have to become a standard. Ultrafiltration across hydrophobic synthetic membranes was shown to remove endotoxins (and their fragments) from dialysis water by the combined effect of filtration and adsorption. However, each module can be used for a limited time only. Ceramic membranes may represent an alternative to polymeric membranes for endotoxin removal. In this article, we tested the capacity of different commercial ceramic membranes with nominal molecular weight cut-off down to

1,000 to retain endotoxins from Ps. aeruginosa. The tested membranes did not generally produce dialysate meeting the Association for the Advancement of Medical Instrumentation standard. When using aluminum-containing membranes, we detected aluminum leaking into the dialysate that could possibly be transported into the blood stream.

MEDLINE on STN L11 ANSWER 4 OF 7 ACCESSION NUMBER: 89027149 MEDLINE

DOCUMENT NUMBER: 89027149 PubMed ID: 2846096

TITLE: Virus removal or inactivation in hemoglobin solutions by

ultrafiltration or detergent/solvent treatment. Bechtel M K; Bagdasarian A; Olson W P; Estep T N AUTHOR:

CORPORATE SOURCE: Travenol Laboratories, Inc., Hyland Therapeutics Research

Facility, Duarte, California 91010.

SOURCE: BIOMATERIALS, ARTIFICIAL CELLS, AND ARTIFICIAL ORGANS,

(1988) 16 (1-3) 123-8.

Journal code: 8802605. ISSN: 0890-5533.

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AB Two procedures to eliminate virus infectivity from hemoglobin solutions at ambient temperature were evaluated. In the first, virus removal was assessed during the ultrafiltration of hemoglobin solutions through a membrane with a nominal molecular

weight cut-off of 100,000 Daltons. The

results of this study demonstrated that less than 0.1% of any virus

originally spiked into the solution was detectable in the ultrafiltrate. In the second procedure the inactivation of viruses in hemoglobin solutions incubated with tri(n-butyl)phosphate mixed with sodium cholate was studied. Greater than 99% of each of the enveloped viruses tested was inactivated during the first 15 minutes of incubation with greater than 10(5) plaque forming units/ml of each being inactivated after one to six hours. No inactivation of the non-enveloped poliovirus was effected by this treatment. The data imply that both ultrafiltration and detergent/solvent incubation may reduce virus infectivity in hemoglobin solutions, but neither method yields a completely virus free product.

L11 ANSWER 5 OF 7 SCISEARCH COPYRIGHT 2003 THOMSON ISI on STN

ACCESSION NUMBER: 1998:655690 SCISEARCH

THE GENUINE ARTICLE: 113CK

TITLE: Virus removal in a membrane separation process

AUTHOR: Otaki M (Reprint); Yano K; Ohgaki S

CORPORATE SOURCE: UNIV TOKYO, DEPT URBAN ENGN, BUNKYO KU, 7-3-1 HONGO, TOKYO

1138656, JAPAN (Reprint); TOKYO METROPOLITAN RES LAB PUBL

HLTH, SHINJUKU KU, TOKYO 169, JAPAN

COUNTRY OF AUTHOR: JAPAN

SOURCE: WATER SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY, (JUL 1998) Vol. 37, No. 10,

pp. 107-116.

Publisher: PERGAMON-ELSEVIER SCIENCE LTD, THE BOULEVARD,

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ISSN: 0273-1223.

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AB Recently, membrane technology has been considered an alternative to conventional water purification. To study the fate of viruses in membrane processes, indigenous coliphages in pilot scale membrane processes located in the eastern part of Tokyo Metropolitan area have been surveyed for 6 months. This plant used river water as its resource and had two microfiltration membrane processes which had different pore sizes (0.2 mu m and 0.1 mu m) and one ultrafiltration process which had 13,000 nominal

molecular weight cut off. To detect

indigenous coliphages, E. coli K12 F+(A/lambda) and E. coli C were used as host bacteria. E. coli K12 F+(A/lambda) can detect both DNA and RNA phages and E. coli C can only DNA phage. The resource water contained E. coli K12 phages at 200-1500 PFU/100 mL and the removal ratio of these DNA and RNA phages was lower than that of DNA phage by E. coli C in both MF membrane processes through 6 months. It is thought to be caused by difference of phage size, because DNA phage is bigger than RNA phage in general. The removal ratio of E. coli K12 and E. coli C phages reached 100% in the UF membrane process. According to the comparison of the concentration of phages in solution and eluted from suspended solid in resource and drain, it is thought that most phages concentrated in the drain were absorbed in suspended solids. To make certain of the removal ratio in UF and NF (nanofiltration) processes, high concentrations of coliphage Q beta and poliomyelitis virus vaccine were fed into these processes. The removal ratio of coliphage Q beta in UF and NF processes are 10(-8.3) and 10(-6.3) respectively, and the ratio of poliomyelitis virus vaccine in UF and NF are <10(-6.7) and <10(-7.3) respectively. (C) 1998 IAWQ. Published by Elsevier Science Ltd. All rights reserved

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TITLE:

Influence of membrane processing on functional properties of rapeseed protein preparations.

AUTHOR (S):

properties of rapeseed protein preparations.
Dluzewska, Elzbieta [Reprint author]; Gwiazda, Stanislaw;

Leszczynski, Krzysztof

CORPORATE SOURCE:

Katedra Technologii Zboz, Nasion Oleistych i Koncentratow Spozywczych, Szkola Glowna Gospodarstwa Wiejskiego, ul.

Grochowska 272, 03-849, Warszawa, Poland

SOURCE:

Polish Journal of Food and Nutrition Sciences, (2000) Vol.

9, No. 2, pp. 35-39. print.

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The rapeseed protein preparations were obtained by isolation of proteins AB from the extracted, non-toasted meal by means of the fractionation and enzymatic modification of proteins with utilisation of membrane techniques. Enzymatic hydrolysis of proteins was performed during extraction by means of Alcalase 2.5L in the portion of 9 AU/kg of the substrate protein. To recover and purify the non-precipitating in coagulation regime protein fractions, the membrane techniques were used. The ultrafiltration and diafiltration were performed in the unit for cross-flow ultrafiltration with hollow-fibre membrane cartridges with a nominal molecular weight cut-off range of 20, 70 and 100 kDa, respectively. The influence of the molecular weight cut-off, yield of filtration, concentration factor during ultrafiltration and diafiltration step on the foaming and emulsifying properties of the rapeseed protein preparations was investigated. It has been shown that the application of the membrane cartridges with molecular weight cut-off range of 20 kDa gives relatively the highest recovery of rapeseed "albumin" fraction and by the way it allows obtaining of preparations with better foaming and emulsifying properties. The improvement of properties mentioned above was dependent, to a greater extent, on the diafiltration step than on the concentration factor.

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1989:330961 BIOSIS

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TITLE:

COMPARATIVE EVALUATION OF ULTRAFILTRATION MEMBRANES FOR

PURIFICATION OF SYNTHETIC PEPTIDES.

AUTHOR(S):

MOUROT P [Reprint author]; OLIVER M

CORPORATE SOURCE:

BIOTECHNOL RES INST, NATL RES COUNCIL CANADA, MONTREAL H4P

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SOURCE:

Separation Science and Technology, (1989) Vol. 24, No. 5-6,

pp. 353-368.

CODEN: SSTEDS. ISSN: 0149-6395.

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ENGLISH

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AB Published information on the use of ultrafiltration to separate natural and synthetic peptides from each other, and from low-molecular-weight impurities, is reviewed. The suitability of commercial membranes of low nominal molecular weight cut-

off (500-8000 daltons) for fractionation of synthetic peptides was

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evaluated with a model mixture of a hexapeptide (MW 844), insulin (MW 5730), and cytochrome c (MW 12,384) in 5% acetic acid. Diafiltration in a cross-flow thin-channel device allowed graphical determination of the retention coefficient for each solute on each membrane; fouling and cleanability were also assessed. Regenerated cellulose and cellulose acetate membranes did not foul, were chemically resistant, and fractionated efficiently. Other membrane types, including polysulfone and Teflon, fouled and were difficult to clean. Cellulosic membranes can be successfully intergrated into the purification of synthetic peptides.

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